IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of: Yehuda BINDER

Application No.: 10/795,986

Conf. No. 2193

Filed: March 10, 2004

For: LOCAL AREA NETWORK OF SERIAL INTELLIGENT CELLS

Art Unit: 2667

Examiner:

Washington, D.C.

Atty.'s Docket: BINDER=15B

OR

OR

Date: April 27, 2005

THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS **Customer Service Window** Randolph Building, Mail Stop Amendment 401 Dulany Street Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a [X] Preliminary Amendment []

in the above-identified application.

[XX] Small Entity Status: Applicant(s) claim small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)					
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA EQUALS					
TOTAL	* 81	MINUS	** 51	30					
INDEP.	* 5	MINUS	*** 3	2					
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RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
x 25	\$ 750.00
x 100	\$ 200.00
+ 180	\$
NAL FEE TOTAL	\$ 950.00

SMALL ENTITY

OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY **ADDITIONAL** RATE FEE 50 \$ 200 \$ \$ 360 TOTAL \$

- If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.
- If the "Highest Number Previously Paid for" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
- If the "Highest Number Previously Paid for" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (total or independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box in Col. 1 of a prior amendment of the number of claims originally filed.

[XX] Conditional Petition for Extension of Time

If any extension of time for a response is required, applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor.

[] It is hereby petitioned for an extension of time in accordance with 37 CFR 1.136(a). The appropriate fee required by 37 CFR 1.17 is calculated as shown below:

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	Small Entity		Other Than Small Entity					
	Response Filed Within	Respo	nse Filed W	ithin)			
	[] First - \$ 60.00	[]	First	-	\$ 120.00			
	[] Second - \$ 225.00	[]	Second	-	\$ 450.00			
	[] Third - \$ 510.00	[]	Third	-	\$ 1020.00			
	[] Fourth - \$ 795.00	[]	Fourth	-	\$ 1590.00			
	Month After Time Period Set		Month After Time Period Set					
	[] Less fees (\$) already paid for month(s) extension of time or	ı		 ·				
[]	Please charge my Deposit Account No. 02-4035 in the amount of \$	·						
[XX]	Credit Card Payment Form, PTO-2038, is attached, authorizing payment in the	amount	of <u>\$950.00</u> .					
[]	A check in the amount of \$ is attached (check no.).							
[XX]	The Commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to charge any additional fees which may be required in conne							

in connection with this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-4035. This authorization and request is not limited to payment of all fees associated with this communication, including any Extension of Time fee, not covered by check or specific authorization, but is also intended to include all fees for the presentation of extra claims under 37 CFR §1.16 and all patent processing fees under 37 CFR §1.17 throughout the prosecution of the case. This blanket authorization does not include patent issue fees under 37 CFR §1.18.

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents Customer Service Window Randolph Building, Mail Stop Amendment 401 Dulany Street Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

Prior to examination, kindly amend the above-identified Application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 16 of this paper.

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